



GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

January 8, 2019

Mr. Andrew Wheeler
Acting Administrator
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
William Jefferson Clinton Building
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Mail Code 1101A
Washington, DC 20460

Re: Notice of Intent to Participate in Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation (WIIN)
Act, Section 2107: Lead Testing in School and Child Care Program Drinking Water Grant
Program

Dear Mr. Wheeler:

The State of Texas is pleased to announce its Intent to Participate in the *Water Infrastructure for Improvements to the Nation (WIIN) Act, Section 2107: "Lead Testing in School and Child Care Program Drinking Water Grant Program."* As the Governor of Texas, I hereby authorize the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) to serve as the lead agency for the State of Texas with the legal and administrative authority to enter into grants or cooperative agreements with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Sincerely,

Greg Abbott
Governor

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cc: Ms. Emily Lindley, Commissioner, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
Mr. Toby Baker, Executive Director, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality



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